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I would like to comment on the Proposed Final Judgement(PFJ).

First I hate buying a new computer and not having a choice for the operating system. I think this settlement will help give people a choice in operating systems. While the PFJ prevents Microsoft from changing it's commercial relations with an large OEMs if that OEM is shipping a system with Windows and a non-Microsoft OS, or with more than one OS, it does not prevent Microsoft from changing it's relations with the OEM if the OEM is shipping a system with only one non-Microsoft OS. Additionally, the PFJ does not prevent Microsoft from changing it's relations with small "hometown" OEMs.

Please consider these things into consideration when the final judgement is made.

Sincerely,

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